

# The EVERGLADES News

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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

## Farmers On South Side Of Lake Busy Replanting Lands

Everglades farmers in the South Bay-Okeelanta-Lake Harbor area hit hard by the recent freeze which killed practically all tender vegetables are busy replanting to recoup their losses.

Planting started the next morning after the freeze and by this time much of the high warm land near the lake has been replanted to snap beans and other tender crops.

A few fields with beans just coming out of the ground at the time of the frost survived the cold weather and are doing nicely. Other fields planted since are now green once more with young snap beans, lettuce and other vegetables.

Land in the Okeelanta section is also being worked with growers concentrating principally upon the more hardy leafy vegetables such as cabbage, lettuce, escarole, radishes, romaine and celery.

Cane which at first was not thought to be much damaged is now known to be badly damaged in certain areas. Cane is reported to be going "sour" where frost was the heaviest and less in that case will probably be considerable according to unofficial observers.

Cane cutting had not yet started in the South Bay and Okeelanta cane fields although it was in full swing on other plantations around Lake Okeechobee, and cane trains en route to the mill at Clewiston are running daily from the fields and loading zones.

Vegetable growers on the high land adjacent to Lake Okeechobee were not so severely hurt as those at some distance from the lake as most of their crops had been harvested at least once, some of the fields had been picked twice or three times and some fields had

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## December Meeting Of Canal Point PTA

The Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association conducted its December meeting in the school auditorium Monday night with Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, president, presiding.

Mrs. W. N. Veal, membership chairman, reported the Canal Point PTA now has a membership of 102. A report on the State PTA Conference held in Orlando last month was given by Rev. Earl J. Jones who attended as a local delegate. Mrs. June Harrington, Girl Scout leader, reported that the Canal Point Troop, which is sponsored by PTA, has 19 active members. The monthly attendance award was won by Mrs. Wilma Lence's first grade room.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Earl Jones, Mrs. J. Douglas Pope, Mrs. D. L. Hooks and Mrs. Yoemans, hostesses.

## Work Begins On New Glades Cattle Market

Work started this week on the new cattle market and pens to be located on the Pahokee-Belle Glade road near the old Glenbee Corporation lands, now known as the Runyon sugar company plantation.

## Mrs. Shirley's Brother Dies Of Oil Burns

Mr. and Mrs. Claude L. Shirley were called to Griffin, Ga., Sunday by the accidental death of Mrs. Shirley's brother, Halsey Burke, who died Saturday from burns caused by an exploding oil can. Mr. Burke was in a cabin building a fire to cook a rabbit stew. To hasten the blaze he poured on some fuel oil and the can exploded when the fire followed the fuel back into the container. Mr. Burke died four hours following the explosion.

## Blue Devils Start Their Basketball Season Tonight

The Pahokee Blue Devil Cagers will open their basketball season tonight (Friday) when they travel to Hollywood to play the South Broward Bulldogs in the brand new, modern gymnasium of South Broward High School. We trust that our boys, who have been practicing faithfully for the past few weeks in their cramped little gym with its undersized court, won't get lost in the Bulldogs' big new gym which is reported to be one of the finest in South Florida. Perhaps the cheerleaders will act as guides.

Coach William Howard is working with a squad of 20 men in the building of a team which he hopes will chalk up a better record than last year's five victories and ten defeats. Candidates for the team who have played one or more years include: Ralph Chaney, Charles Dickson, Payne Jackson, George Rozelle, Gene Miller, Bennie Thompson, Carney Wilder, Ronnie May, Jackie Sullivan and Bill Kirk. New men playing their first year of basketball include Trevette Weeks, Ralph Clark, Dan Skiles, Robert Tolison, Gene Sowder, Junior Holmes, Buddy Howell, Jacob Weeks, Jackie Thomas and Melvin Tillis.

The Blue Devils showed plenty of fighting spirit in a practice tilt with the Pahokee Independent team at the local gym Monday night before dropping the contest, 55 to 40. The results of tonight's

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## Canal Point Lions Aid In Financing Foot Ball Banquet

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Canal Point Lions Club Monday night it was decided that the club would join the Pahokee and Belle Glade Lions Clubs in conducting and financing the annual foot ball banquet. The banquet is put on each year to entertain members of the Pahokee and Belle Glade squads.

The banquet is scheduled for next Tuesday night and Lions in charge of the affair say that an interesting evening is in store for those who are lucky enough to be present.

Every phase of the citrus industry including picking, canning, fertilizer and other by-products, will be shown during the 26th year of the Florida Citrus Exposition to be held in Winter Haven in February.

## Belle Glade Post To Hold Initiation Ceremony Jan. 17

At the regular meeting of the American Legion in Belle Glade Tuesday night it was announced that there is to be a large initiation ceremony on Jan. 17. This ceremony is impressive and is to be put on by the crack ritual team of the ninth district. The neighboring Posts, South Bay Clewiston, Pahokee, and Canal Point will be asked to join with the post in this event.

Commander Sidney Smith caused a ripple of amusement at the meeting when he called for a show of hands of those who had not been initiated when it appeared that most of the membership including one Past Commander had not been initiated.

Mrs. Elsie Allen, Visitor of a Sister Post, and co-member of Sunshine Representation to Pratt General Hospital at Coral Gables along with Mrs. Willis made a fine report on activities at the hospital. She called on the Post to sponsor a Bingo Game. The Post voted to supply the necessary funds and to sponsor a Bingo Game at Pratt General Hospital in the near future. Mr. Willis, a Past Commander, gave an interesting report on his recent visit to the hospital.

Letters were received thanking the Post for its assistance at the recent PTA Carnival and from Senator Holland expressing his gratification for the privilege of making a speech at the recent Armistice Day Celebration.

Ralph Freeman informed the post of its present status in the membership drive and brought to attention the fact that the entire district is far ahead of any past records in its present membership of paid up 1950 cards. He urged all members to sign up as many veterans as possible in the 1950 membership drive.

## Funeral Services For Pete Padgett

Funeral services for Peter Paul Padgett, 42, of Pahokee were held in the chapel of Berry's Funeral Home Sunday at 3 p. m. with Rev. Ralph W. Todd, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

Mr. Padgett died at the local hospital Friday afternoon following an illness of several weeks. A pioneer of the Glades area he had been a resident of Pahokee since 1914.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Charles Moran, Pahokee; four brothers, John and Duncan Padgett, Pahokee, Raymond Padgett, Miami, and Dan Padgett, Belle Glade; four sisters, Mrs. Adaline Stuckey, Mrs. Leon Spooner, Mrs. James H. Wilson and Mrs. Perry Duke, all of Pahokee.

Palbearers were Ronald Todd, John Bolton, A. J. Ludeman, C. A. McIntosh, Edgar Wilder and Thomas Elliott.

Burial was at the Port Mayaca Cemetery. Berry's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tuberculosis take the lives of more young adults than any other disease.

## Would Have Road 15 Made Federal Route

The Canal Point Lions Club directors voted Monday night to adopt a resolution asking that State Road 15, from South Bay northward through Pahokee and Canal Point to Holopaw, be designated as a Federal Highway. The resolution has been officially signed and forwarded to the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce which has been spearheading the move to have the road made a federal route.

## Trammell To Speak At Elks Memorial Service On Sunday

Memorial Services will be held by Pahokee Lodge No. 1638, B. P. O. E., at 3:00 p. m., Sunday, December 11, in the Elks Lodge Hall. The ritual prescribed by the Grand Lodge for this occasion will be exemplified by the lodge officers. Clyde Trammell, Esteemed Leading Knight of West Palm Beach Lodge No. 1552, and prominent West Palm Beach attorney, will be the principal speaker.

According to James W. Vann, Exalted Ruler of Pahokee Lodge No. 1638, Elk's Memorial Day is usually observed on the first Sunday in December, but a postponement in its observance by the Pahokee Lodge was necessary this year. Exalted Ruler Vann stated that this is one of the three public services, each year which local lodges are required by the Grand Lodge to observe, the others being Mothers Day and Flag Day. On Elk's Memorial Day all Elks pay tribute to the memory of their departed brothers who have been called by the Grand Exalted Ruler of the universe.

The following members of Pahokee Lodge No. 1638 have passed away during the past year: H. E. Rice, Trustee; A. L. Vertommen; M. S. Boyd and W. H. Reddick.

All Elks are urged to attend these services with their families. Everyone is cordially invited to join with the Order of Elks in paying tribute to the memory of their departed brothers.

## Alderman Brothers Loan Water System To Pahokee Hospital

A portable irrigation system consisting of 600 feet of sprinkling pipe and a pump has been loaned to the Everglades Memorial Hospital by L. G. Alderman and J. L. Alderman for use in watering the grounds until the grass, shrubs and trees being planted in the landscaping program become well established. Superintendent V. J. Frasure, Jr., and other hospital officials wish to publicly thank the Alderman brothers for the timely loan of this very necessary equipment.

The Children's Home Society of Florida is in desperate need of children's wearables, according to "Daddy" Fagg, state superintendent. All contributions may be sent to the Children's Receiving Home, 2560 Riverside Avenue, Jacksonville.

## No Toll Charge On Pahokee Calls To Belle Glade Dec. 16

Effective Friday, Dec. 16, all long distance phone charges between Pahokee and Belle Glade and vice versa are a thing of the past, according to G. H. Bachman, manager. All Belle Glade and Pahokee subscribers may call any subscribers in either exchange by dialing "8" in front of the desired number after that date, the phone manager said.

A new telephone directory for Belle Glade and Pahokee has just been distributed by mail. According to Mr. Bachman, 1785 copies were distributed. The new directory has a green cover, in order to distinguish it from the old directory which has a gray cover. The old gray-covered directory should be destroyed, in order to prevent calling incorrect numbers.

Mr. Bachman asks that telephone users refer to the new directory for the desired number. Referring to the directory will avoid the possibility of reaching the wrong number and frequently wastes time for the calling person as well as the person called in error. ("Information" should be called only when the desired number is not listed in the directory. Any customer who has not received a copy should call the business office and a copy will be mailed to him.)

Mr. Bachman further stated he would like for all subscribers having any difficulty with their telephone not working properly to make a report by dialing "Operator" instead of reporting the trouble to some particular individual. He said in this manner he will have a complete record, and be able to clear the trouble more promptly.

## Shaughnessy To Build Belle Glade Plant

Frank Shaughnessy, owner and operator of the Glades Equipment Company in Pahokee, is planning to erect a new building just outside Belle Glade on a tract of land located almost opposite the Belle Glade hospital. Mr. Shaughnessy plans the building to house a proposed farm equipment business similar to the one he conducts in Pahokee.

Mr. Shaughnessy's firm is the agency for the International line of farm machinery in this territory. He has maintained a business at Pahokee for some ten years. Plans are ready for the projected improvement.

## Food Sale Scheduled For Saturday At 10

The Canal Point American Legion Auxiliary will hold a food sale at the Sport Shop Saturday morning, Dec. 10, starting at 10 a. m. Members of the auxiliary are unusually good cooks and those who are fortunate enough to make purchases at the food sale are guaranteed delectable pies and cakes.

Christmas Seals were first sold in Denmark in 1904. The idea was "imported" to this country in 1907.

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## News Notes From State Capital

**TALLAHASSEE**—Contracts between Western Union and Walter M. Hagerty's Intra State News Service were ordered cancelled by the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission in a series of swift moves against the bookie wire service. The cancellation order came immediately after a request by Attorney General Richard W. Ervin, as required by the 1949 anti-bookie law. The Commission said one of the Orders is effective at once and would require the cancellation of four contracts between Western Union and Intra State. The Commission in a supplemental statement pointed out that under the present law, there is only one operator, Hagerty, using the Western Union facilities in violation of the anti-bookie law. It also made clear that the anti-bookie law only prohibits the use of private wire facilities in furnishing information to be used for gambling purposes. If the bookie can get his information some other way, his operations cannot be stopped by the enforcement of the so-called anti-bookie law.

**TALLAHASSEE**—First dribbles of the new Florida sales tax are coming in the office of Comptroller C. M. Gay. He continues on the gloomy side while Governor Warren and other cabinet officers hope the sales tax will keep the state solvent through this winter. The first collections to come in were not accompanied by return forms, and the comptroller's office urged those who have not received return forms to hold their sales tax collections until these forms reach them from the comptroller's office. Deadline to report the November collections is December 21. The state hopes to get \$3,000,000 a month into the general fund from the sales tax. Unless it does, according to the Comptroller, the general fund will continue to operate in the red.

**TALLAHASSEE**—A wife is not a freeholder just because her husband owns real estate, Attorney General Richard W. Ervin has advised Lee Curtis, Manager of the Town of Lynn Haven. To be a freeholder and eligible to take part in a freeholder election, a person must have a legal or equitable ownership right in real estate. In another opinion, the Attorney General pointed out that an arresting officer might be held personally liable if he were to arrest a person, and leave that person's automobile abandoned by the side of the road and it later is stolen or

damaged. The arresting officer is not, however, primarily responsible for the property of the person he arrests. He must only use prudence and care in safeguarding the property of the person arrested.

**TALLAHASSEE**—All except the nurses' home is under construction at the new Lantana State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, following letting of \$379,418 in auxiliary plant contracts by the state tuberculosis board here. L. L. Lanier, business manager for the board, said the state has earmarked \$2,500,000 and the federal government is putting up \$1,250,000 for the building.

**TALLAHASSEE**—Colin English has opened the First Securities Company of Florida here, with a capital of \$100,000. The former Superintendent of Public Instruction announced he will be President of the Company and direct its operation in the sale and purchase of state, county and municipal bonds.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle D. Worth of Clewiston announce the birth of a son, Lawrence Doyle, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Dec. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Murphy of Clewiston announce the birth of a daughter at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Dec. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mullis, Jr., of Akron, Colo., announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Susan, at a hospital in that city on Dec. 4. Mr. Mullis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mullis of Pahokee.

## "Christmas Giving" Is WSCS Program

Mrs. A. R. Harrington presented a program on "Christmas Giving" at a meeting of the Canal Point Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at the home of Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. N. E. Maxson presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. W. K. Buchanan. Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, Mrs. J. P. Parker and Mrs. D. R. Hall. Mrs. Bill Johnson led the devotionals.

The group voted cash donations of \$15 to foreign missions, \$10 to the Wesley House in Key West and \$10 to the Student House in Tallahassee.

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It was announced that the text for the group's mission study course which starts in January will be "We, the People of the Ecumenical Church." Copies of the text were distributed to members at the meeting.

## Baptists Planning To Care For Several More Florida Orphans

Most of us recall that Baptists have been in the child caring business in Florida for almost a half century and are now building a new and modern Children's Home in Lakeland. The new Children's Home makes a radical departure from the old and accepted custom of housing children and they have gone farther into the possibility of making their institution more homelike than any we know in this area. They have parted company with the dormitory system of housing. The practice of placing six or more children in a room is out. They have only two children in a room in the Intermediate and Senior groups while four small children live in a room in the pre-school age cottage. They have further accentuated the homelike facilities of the cottages by providing for each child to have a closet for his clothing and a place to put such other possessions as he may have. Nothing has been left out that would give the children commodious, and attractive living quarters.

This modern plant is now equipped to take care of 120 children. They gave assistance to 157 during the year and turned away 103 because they did not have housing facilities for them.

The needs of dependent children in our state are forcing them to ask their friends for a gift for the building fund this Christmas. They are especially anxious to build a chapel as a memorial to the five boys who gave their lives in World War II. There is also a pressing need for two more cottages and if these can be built from the proceeds of the Christmas offering they can accept at least 40 more children in 1950.

With the ever increasing number of dependent children in our state this is a laudable undertaking. We believe an investment in facilities for caring for homeless children is wise and timely.

## Anniversary Dinner For Brownies, Scouts

A birthday anniversary dinner will be held tonight in the Pahokee gym for the Brownies and Girl Scouts. Manning I. Keen will be master of ceremonies and an interesting program is planned.

The BPW Club and Sorority will join in serving refreshments while the Woman's club members will be responsible for the decorations and serving of the food.

The program committee is made up of the following: Mrs. Barker, Mary Evelyn Wilson and Barbara Wilder. The public is invited.

## Two New Members Pay Taylor Circle

Mrs. M. S. Kirk and Mrs. H. H. May were received as new members of the Pay Taylor Circle, First Baptist WMU, at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Hoke Shirley Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. C. G. Willis presiding in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. C. L. Shirley. Mrs. J. H. Wilkinson, program chairman, introduced Mrs. A. C. Santo who reviewed a chapter from the group's mission study text, "Torch Bearers in Honan." Mrs. H. E. Unwin was in charge of the devotionals. Mrs. Leland Keene was named social chairman of the circle.

It was announced that the next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. G. Hull with Mrs. Kathryn Barnes acting as hostess. It was also announced that the Pay Taylor Circle will have charge of the WMU meeting at the church on Dec. 19.

Following the meeting the group honored Mrs. Hoke Shirley, whose birthday is Dec. 13, with a shower of gifts.

## Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

"The Barkleys on Broadway", with Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers, Billie Burke, Oscar Levant, Gale Robbins and Jacques Francois in the top billing, which comes to the Prince Theatre Sunday-Monday, is beyond question a doubt the finest musical extravaganza that the above dancing stars have ever been seen in here.

There is a fine story that goes with this picture which makes for romance, comedy and pathos, all of which are cleverly woven into the dialogue of the piece so there is never anything morbid or boring in the film.

Every person in the piece has been carefully selected for their talents toward making this a great picture.

Some of the song hits introduced through the story are "My One and Only," "You'd Be Hard to Replace" and many other hit tunes coming to you on the air and via your records.

I am sure you'll enjoy every moment of this delightful show. See you at the movies—Mal.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to my many friends for their acts of kindness and thoughtful deeds extended to me and my family during my recent illness.

Mrs. C. C. Adams.

## Garrett-Zachritz

In a 4:30 p. m. double ring ceremony Nov. 22, Miss Corrine Garrett and Robert Edwin Zachritz were united in marriage. The Chapel of the Gesu Catholic Church in Miami was the setting for the service, with Rev. John J. Drukan officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Francis Furlong of Jacksonville and Malachi C. Garrett of Pahokee, Fla. She graduated from Pahokee High School in 1945.

Mr. Zachritz, son of Mrs. Charles Reade Zachritz, of St. Louis, Mo. attended St. Louis University. He is now employed by the Aerodex, Inc. of Miami. They are making their home at 2280 N. W. 56th st.

Miss Garrett wore a beige knit suit with dark brown accessories and a corsage of brown orchids.

## Operetta To Be Given By Fourth Grade

The pupils of Mrs. Clara Maurer's Fourth Grade room at the Pahokee Elementary School will present a Christmas operetta at the December meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association to be held in the high school auditorium Monday, Dec. 12, at 8 p. m., with Mrs. Horace E. Unwin, president, presiding. Mrs. Unwin will also preside at the session of the PTA executive board on Monday at 7:15 preceding the regular meeting.

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## 25 Years Doing One Thing Well

Each week for more than a quarter of a century this Newspaper has reached its readers each Friday morning with full and complete news coverage of the Lake Okeechobee Farm Area. Bringing out The Everglades News each week—on schedule—has grown to be a habit with those of us who produce it. Not once during the 25 years of its existence has this newspaper missed a publication day. Through floods, hurricanes and other adverse antics of nature we have managed to make the deadline. It has been no small accomplishment and we are happy to be rated the

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ON LAKE OKEECHOBEE'S EAST SHORE

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Canal Point, Fla.

**PAHOKEE, FLA.**



## Personal

W. H. Vann of Canal Point, who has been ill for the past several days, is in Mt. Sinai Hospital, Miami Beach. His room number is 326 just in case some of his bean-buying friends would like to drop him a card to cheer him up a little while he is recuperating.

Dr. George Arceneaux, principal agronomist in charge of the U. S. Sugar Cane Experiment Station at Houma, Louisiana, recently spent 3 days at Canal Point visiting the Government Sugar Cane breeding Station here and also visiting the Everglades Experiment Station and some of the harvesting and re-research activities of the United States Sugar Corporation around the Lake.

Carl O. Grassei, botanist and sugarcane breeder for the Division of Sugar Plant Investigations, U. S. D. A., Washington, D. C., recently arrived for the season at the Government Sugar Cane Field Station in Canal Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston H. Dunkelman of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, have arrived at the Sugar Cane Field Station in Canal Point for the season. Mr. Dunkelman is a plant pathologist in charge of sugarcane seedling selection studies.

## Classified Ads

**LAUNDRY** — Family bundab, damp wash 8 cents lb., rough dry 10 cents lb., 12 lb. minimum. Also machines for Self Service. Vee Gee Self Service Laundry, next door to Geiger Lumber Co. O8

**FOR SALE:** New and used Willys Jeeps, Walter Ashley Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 128. J11ch

**SEPTIC** tanks and grease traps cleaned and repaired. Phone 3872, Rob Douthit, Pahokee. M17c

**WELL DRILLING:** See B o b Douthit, Pahokee, Fla., Phone 3872. J17c

**WANTED:** Fountain Help. Chandler's, Pahokee, Fla. D3c

**FOR SALE:** 3 Bicycles, Newly Painted, rebuilt throughout, in A1 condition, Thomas Miller, Pahokee, Phone 4522. 2Tc

**FOR RENT:** Newly furnished 3 room and bath apartment. Phone 3384. 1tp

**FOUND:** Billfold in Canal Point, owner may have by identifying and paying for ad, inquire Everglades News.

**WALL PAPERING,** Painting, done by experienced men, estimates given. Charles Kennen, Phone 4932, Pahokee. D30c

**WANT TO SELL** agitator type washing machine, absolutely in A. No. 1 condition. Call Pahokee 4861 after 4 p. m. D23c

**FOR SALE:** Annual plants and cut flowers. Mrs. A. R. Harrington, Phone 4775. D19p

## Prince Theatre

Pahokee, Florida

Sunday-Monday  
December 11-12

## "The Barkleys On Broadway"

starring

Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers, Billie Burke  
Oscar Levant  
(In Technicolor)

at the Louisiana State University Experiment Station and represents the University in the sugarcane breeding work at the Canal Point station during the winter seasons.

Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Artchwager, who have been on two months temporary duty at the Government Sugar Cane Experiment Station at Canal Point, left on Wednesday of this week for their home in Las Cruces, New Mexico. Dr. Artchwager, senior plant anatomist for the Division of Sugar Plant Investigations, U. S. D. A., Beltsville, Maryland, has been engaged while here in making botanical descriptions of several hundred of the original sugarcane varieties that are growing in the large variety collection at the Canal Point station. Edwin R. Rice of Pahokee assisted Dr. Artchwager in this work.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boss of Salem, Ind., and Mrs. G. M. Boss and Nephew of Brownstown, Ind., who have been the houseguests of Mrs. Charles Boss's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, in Pahokee, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Armstrong in Miami last weekend before returning to their homes in Indiana.

Pupils of Mrs. Clara Maurer's Fourth Grade room at the Pahokee Elementary School will present a Christmas play for the elementary school children during the school's chapel period on Thursday, Dec. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Buchanan and daughter, Judy, were business visitors in Miami Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wetherington, Sr., residents of Canal Point for more than 25 years, moved to Fort Lauderdale Thursday of this week. Mr. Wetherington, who is employed as bridge tender by the Florida East Coast Railway Company, was recently transferred by FEC to Fort Lauderdale.

Joy Sims, three-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sims of Canal Point, broke her left leg below the knee in a fall while playing in her yard Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, Mrs. Laura Vorhees and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Griffith attended funeral services Sunday for C. H. Settle who died at his home in Moore Haven on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Raulerson had as their overnight guest Monday O. W. Dixon of Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Howland of Dartmouth, Mass., have arrived to spend the season at their winter home, The Gables, on Bacom Point Road, Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chivigas have moved to Fort Lauderdale, where they will make their home for next several weeks while he is buying hens at the Pompano market.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Perry of St. Petersburg arrived Monday to be with Mrs. Perry's sister, Mrs. T. M. Weatherington, of Mayo, Fla., who is ill at the Everglades Memorial

**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Palm Beach County, Florida, pursuant to Section 285.02, Florida Statutes, 1941, the fictitious name:  
**PABOKEE FLOWER SHOP**  
Under which I am engaged in business in Pahokee, Fla.  
Annie Marie Carter  
Pub. Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23, 1949

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY.**  
IN CHANCERY NO. 26,485  
GEORGIA BROWN,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr.,  
Defendant.

**NOTICE TO APPEAR**

TO: George W. Brown, Jr.,

P. O. Box 504,

Chamblee, Georgia

You are hereby required to appear in the above Court on the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1950, at the Court House in West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, to answer to the Bill of Complaint for Divorce filed against you in the above entitled cause and EVERGLADES NEWS, a newspaper regularly published in Palm Beach County, Florida, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Order shall be published once each week for four consecutive weekly issues.

**DONE AND ORDERED** at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, this 29th day of November, A. D. 1949.  
J. ALEX ARNETTE,  
Clerk of Circuit Court,  
Palm Beach County, Florida.

(Circuit Court Seal)

By Thadde P. Plant,  
Deputy Clerk.

Thadde Whiddon,  
Attorney for Plaintiff,  
Pahokee, Florida.

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Hospital. Mrs. Weatherington was spending the season with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mullis, in Pahokee when she became ill.

Miss Mary Mullis has returned from a week's visit with her cousin, Miss Carol Wagner, and other relatives in West Palm Beach.

Rev. Ralph W. Todd, Rev. Leonard Vanderwater, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McClure and Dr. W. H. Lair attended the Methodist District Conference and Missionary Institute held at the First Methodist Church in Coral Gables Monday and Tuesday.

Leland Keene, who recently underwent an emergency tracheotomy at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, was able to return to his duties as teacher and Junior High coach at Pahokee High School this week.

Mrs. Inman W. Weeks returned Friday from a visit of several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Hamilton, and new grandson, Edward Lee, Jr., in Durham, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClure had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Barkoehle and granddaughter, of Fellsme; also Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Manning of Vero Beach.

## Young Matrons Meet With Mrs. Jack Carr

Mrs. Jack Carr was hostess to members of the Young Matrons Circle, First Baptist W.M.U., at a circle meeting at her home Monday night, with Mrs. Charles Wilkinson, chairman, presiding.

The group made plans to present a Christmas basket to a needy family. Mrs. Joel Brown gave a talk on "Japanese Missionary." The devotional program was under the direction of Mrs. Wilkinson.

## The Misses Hillier In A Double Wedding

Don Hillier of Pahokee announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Miss Donna Johannah Hillier, to Eugene Whipple Potter, West Palm Beach son of Mrs. Hillier and Richard B. Potter of West Palm Beach.

Miss Hillier graduated from the Montverde School in 1947. Mr. Potter attended the Bolles School in Jacksonville and graduated from Palm Beach High School following his return home after two and a half years of service in the Navy during the war. He is now employed by Clark-Warwick, Inc., West Palm Beach.

The wedding is scheduled to take place at the Pahokee First Methodist Church on Monday, Dec. 26, at 4 p. m.

Don Hillier announces the engagement of his daughter Thelma Jean to Eugene Ross Brown, son of the late Mrs. May A. Brown of Bear Mountain, New York.

Miss Hillier is a graduate of Montreat College, North Carolina in 1945, and studied one year at the Virginia State Teachers College in Farmville, Virginia. She also graduated from the Terry Art Institute, Miami, Fla. as a Commercial Artist in 1948. She has been employed by the Western Electric Co. in New York City for the past year.

Mr. Brown graduated from Haverstraw High School New York, in 1945. He served two and a half years in the U. S. Navy during the war and is now a student of Pratt Art Institute in New York City.

The couple will be married at the First Methodist Church, Pahokee, Fla. at four o'clock Monday

December 26th, in a double ceremony with Miss Hillier's sister, Donna Johannah and Eugene W. Potter.

## Howell - Langley

Miss Sara Frances Howell, daughter of Mrs. W. A. Howell of Pahokee, and Master Sgt. William G. Langley, USMC, of Edenton, N. C., were married recently in New Bern, N. C., according to word received here by Mrs. Howell.

The bride is a graduate of Pahokee High School, Florida State University and the University of North Carolina. For the past three years she has been employed as librarian at the U. S. Marine Corps base at Cherry Point, N. C.

The bridegroom, who is a pilot in the air arm of the USMC, served overseas in China during World War II.

Sgt. and Mrs. Langley plan to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends here.

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#### SUNDAY

Baptist Hour Radio Program  
8:30 a. m., WIOD (Miami), WDBO  
(Orlando), WFLA (Tampa).  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.  
Baptist Training Union, 6:45  
p. m.  
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.

#### MONDAY

Ione Patterson Circle of W. M.  
U. meets every third Monday of  
each month, 2:30 p. m.  
General W. M. S. meeting every  
fourth Monday of each month,  
8:00 p. m.  
Deacons meeting on Monday  
night before first Wednesday of  
each month, 8:00 p. m.

#### TUESDAY

R. A.'s, 7:00 p. m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.  
G. A.'s, 3:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

#### THURSDAY

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Rev. Earl J. Jones

Sunday School — 10 a. m.  
Morning Worship — 11 a. m.  
M. Y. F. — 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Service — 7:45 p. m.  
Prayer Service, Wed. — 7:30 p. m.  
Choir Rehearsal, Wed. — 8:30 p. m.

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throughout the world on Sunday,  
December 11.

The Golden Text is: "As birds  
flying, so will the Lord of hosts  
defend Jerusalem; defending also,  
he will deliver it; and passing  
over he will preserve it" (Isa. 31:  
5).

Among the citations which  
comprise the Lesson-Sermon is

the following from the Bible:  
"Strengthen ye the weak hands,  
and confirm the feeble knees.  
Say to them that are of a fearful  
heart, Be strong; fear not: behold,  
your God will come with venge-  
ance, even God with a recom-  
pense; he will come and save  
you" (Isa. 35:2, 4).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes  
the following passage from the  
Christian Science textbook, "Sci-  
ence and Health with Key to the  
Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:  
"There is but one way—namely,  
God and His idea—which leads to  
spiritual being. The scientific  
government of the body must be  
attained through the divine Mind.  
... On this fundamental point,  
timid conservatism is absolutely in-  
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reliance on Truth can scientific  
healing power be realized" (167:24-  
27, 29).

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#### PAHOKEE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Ralph W. Todd, pastor

SUNDAY, Dec. 11

9:45 a. m., Sunday school.

11 a. m., morning service, serm-  
on subject, "Sinner-Saint." Offer-  
tory Solo By Jack Phillips, The  
Holy City—Adams.

6:45 p. m., MYF meetings.

7:30 p. m., evening service, serm-  
on subject, "Road Builders." Spec-  
ial anthem, "Gloria In Excelsis  
Deo," Vesper Choir and vocal duet  
by Carol Carpenter and Peggy  
Lynn Shirley.

TUESDAY, Dec. 13

8 p. m., MYF district meeting at  
Belle Glade.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 14

7:30 p. m., midweek prayer  
meeting, continuing the study of  
the Book of John.

THURSDAY, Dec. 15

8 p. m., meeting of the Board of  
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#### SQUAD ENTERTAINED

Members of the Pahokee Blue  
Devil football squad and the cheer  
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chicken fry and outdoor party  
given recently on the lawn at the  
rear of the Elks Club by the man-  
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and the local Coca Cola sales

agency. Members of the Pahokee  
School Athletic Council and other  
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## Annual Barbecue Plans Perfected To Entertain Gridders

Plans for the Lions annual barbecue and outdoor party for the Pahokee Blue Devils and Belle Glade Golden Ram football squads were discussed by members of the Pahokee Lions Club at the Tuesday luncheon meeting.

The affair will be held on the lawn back of the Pahokee Elks Club Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 7 p. m., with Pahokee Lions, assisted by Belle Glade and Canal Point Lions, acting as hosts. Named on the entertainment and refreshments committee in charge of arrangements were Emmett P. Holt and James W. Vann, greeting; Robert B. Simpson, serving; Lewis Friend, salads, and Duncan Padgett, drinks. These committeemen will select several assistants from the Canal Point and Pahokee clubs. The Canal Point club is joining in this year for the first time.

## Blue Devils Start

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game will probably depend largely on the work of Chaney and May, forwards; Wilder and Dickson, centers; Miller, Jackson, Sowder and Tillis, guards. The preliminary game between the B teams of the two schools will start at 7 p. m.

The Blue Devils' schedule of 15 games is as follows:  
Dec. 9, South Broward, there  
Dec. 15, Lake Worth, there  
Jan. 6, Fort Pierce, here  
Jan. 10, Seacrest, there  
Jan. 13, Vero Beach, here  
Jan. 14, Stuart, there  
Jan. 20, Seacrest, here  
Jan. 24, Lake Worth, here  
Jan. 27, Belle Glade  
Jan. 28, Okeechobee, there  
Feb. 4, Stuart, there  
Feb. 10, Vero Beach, here  
Feb. 11, Belle Glade  
Feb. 17, Fort Pierce, here  
Feb. 18, Okeechobee, here  
Feb. 23, 24 and 25, Gulf Stream Conference tournament.

## Farmers On South—

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beans replanted to a second crop. Beans started moving from South Bay late in September with the bulk of the acreage around the rim of the lake picked in October and November.

The peak of the fall season, however, comes usually late in November and early December and is officially regarded to have closed with the Christmas season. The late November harvest had been delayed by a week or 10 days of cool weather which checked maturity of the snap bean crop, otherwise the peak of the season would have been reached before the frost and many fields which had yet been untouched by the harvest hands would have been on the road to market.

The freeze coming as it did found thousands of acres of snap beans in various stages of maturity still in the field. Growers operating only on land at some distance from the lake were hard hit. Those who farmed near the lake or had acreage in both areas did not suffer quite such heavy losses. All hope to recoup their losses with a mid-winter crop, or failing that, with the spring crop, which is still in the lap of the gods.

Meanwhile the migratory workers who had come to south Florida for the fall harvest and work in the packing plants, have either had to move on to the Pompano and lower east coast areas or tighten their belts for a few weeks until a new crop can be brought to maturity.

## Elks Planning For New Year's Dance

Members of the Pahokee Elks club are laying plans for their annual New Year's Eve dance to be held on Saturday night, Dec. 31 in the Elks hall. A good orchestra has been engaged by the dance committee. Favors, noisemakers and all the gadgets that go to make a gay New Year's have been purchased, according to an official of the lodge.

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